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Clearance -: Sale

The crowds of people that visit our stores fully appreciate the

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Don't wait, they wont last long.

Don't forget the Stylish Garments, your choice for \$5.00. See them. This is the greatest bargain ever offered in Respectfully,

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New and Complete stock in all the very

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Dozens, Half Dozens, Single pieces.

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Winter Clearance Sale

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We are determined that the interest shall be fully maintained to the close of the sale, and therefore add many special drives.

But have space to mention but a few. One case of 4-4 Bleached Muslin at 8 cents per yard, ean now be seen in one of the west windows, it is the best value yet given at that price. The rush for the 5c unbleached sheeting still but we have plenty for all. The job in ladies Gossameres at 25c each will not last long. Ask for our Ladies' All Wool Jersey Jacket at \$2.50; it cannot be duplicated in the city for the price. The sale on Brussell Remnants at 50 cents per yard is being greatly appreciated by all.

Respectfully,

ALLMAN & PUTMAN

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Before you buy your

BOOTS AND SHOES

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Will continue the INSURANCE BUSINESS

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It is useless to bunt for a thing when it isn't there. It will be useless for customers to expect to find any profits on our goods in February, "Make room for Spring Stock is the order of the month, and make room we will.

MOT IN IT

THE BOTTOM IS OUT

Of our prices for this month and our friends are invited to help themselves. We shall be glad to wrap up the goods, furnish twine and clerical work, but THERE'S NOTHING IN IT

For us. If you want Clothing, Underware, Gloves, and Caps, at the same price we pay New York wholesalers. Come in and take the goods away.

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For Sale-Residences Four room house, South Erie streer, corner lot 81,400 \$1,400
Four room (double)house, two out-kithens \$2,000
Six roomed house, double lot, Richville Ave.
\$1500.
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Store room, Stone Block, store Room in Opera Block, now occupied by Goodhart Bros. Possession given April 1st, 1891. For Rent.

Business | Property. Ninety-two reet front on Erie street, on P., Ft. W. & C. By., and Ohio canal. Unexcelled loaction for manufactory.

Vacant Lots. One lot on West Tremont street, \$425 One lot on South Erie street, \$600. Two lots on Wechter street, \$225. Forty-two lots in Kent Jarvis' 2d add. \$800 to \$4: Nineteen lots in my Richville Ave. add., \$22: One lot on South Erie street, in Julia M Jarvi arth-division, \$50.

sub-division, \$550. One lot on East Main street, best lot on the stree \$2,100.

\$2,100.
One lost just off West Tremont street, \$800.
Six lots near the C., L. & W. and W. & I. E. rain roads, \$300.
also have on my list many choice Western land for sale or exchange, and many other to bargains. Easy Terms,

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EDITION. LAST

SALMAGUNDI.

TO-DAY'S DOINGS IN THIS TOWN Personal Notes and Brief Mention of Many Things.

To-night at Bucher's-"The Octoroon." THE WEATHER-Fair and warmer,

Mr. J. W. Holcomb spent Sunday in Hudson, O.

Prof. E. A. Jones left this afternoon for Philacelphia

The W. & L. E. pay car will be in the city on Wednesday.

D. F. Reinoehl is announced as a can-

didate for city solicitor. John MeBride came up from Colum-

ous Saturday afternoon. Joseph Elsass of Cleveland spent Sunday with his parents in Massillon,

Samuel B. Mitchell, of Chicago, is vis ting friends in this city and vicinity. Mr. Allen Seidel returned to-day

from a visit to his home in Hudson, O. Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Shoemaker went to Columbus to-day on a brief pleasure

Ed. Heffleman, of Canton, was in the city vesterday, on one of his occasional

The funeral of the late Philip Smith vesterday afternoon, was largely at-

The eldest son of Mail Carrier Keenhan, aged 7 years, is seriously ill with

lung fever. Miss Mollie Lynch has secured a large

lass in voice culture and sight reading in the city. Mrs. John Flickinger, who has been

visiting friends in Wooster, returned home to-day. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dittman and Mrs Fred Kinzy of New Philadelphia were at the Hotel Conrad this morning.

In the First M. E. church yesterday morning a collection was taken up for the benefit of the industrial school.

A villainous looking gray spider meas uring three inches in diameter, was caught yesterday in S. F. Wefler's gro-Business was suspended at the Ft

Wayne freight warehouse to-day in honor of Washington's birthday anni-Warren Jacobs returned Saturday

from an extended business trip in the West, in the interest of the Massillon Bridge Company. Mrs. Lester and two sons, of Canal Fulton, who have been visiting Mr. and

turned home this morning. Charles H. Drew, formerly of this city. and related to the Brannan family, is with the Pauline Hall opera company and will sing at Canton this week.

Mrs. I. M. Taggart for several days, re-

John Butler and Charles Bernard have formed a co-partnership, leased the Welker brick yard and will commence the manufacture of brick in the spring.

George Snyder is about to make alterations in his block intending to modernize it and improve it very materially. A handsome glass front will be included in the changes.

The journeyman printers met Saturday evening to take the first step necessary to organize a branch of the National Typographical Union. Another meeting will be held this evening.

The opera party arranged for to hear Pauline Hall, in Canton, to-morrow night, will leave in a special car at 6 p. m. standard time, returning after the

procured, Mr. Lewis P. Ohliger is now the highest Mason in Wooster. Last week he received the degrees of the Scotish Rite at Cleveland, taking the thirty-second degree in Lake Erie Consistory.-Wooster

Manager Porter, of Bucher's opera house, has made the following bookings: March 11, Kate Claxton's company in "The World Against Her;" April, "The Two Johns;" Madam Janauschek; Gibery, Gordon & Gibler.

Here is a Millersburg dispatch which will greatly interest Canal Fulton people: "Mrs. Catherine R. Bushey, the wife of the professional bigamist, J. Calvin Bushey, was granted a divorce here in court to-day by Judge Nicholas. She was given the custody of the minor child and \$1,000 alimony, which may be realized some time through the father of the defendant."

The desire of a number of young men about town to enjoy good gymnasium advantages, is likely to bring about an attempt to form a first class athletic club in this city at as early a day as possible It is probable that the method of organ ization will be to invite subscriptions, and after the financial possibilities have been ascertained club headquarters will be procured equal to the resources.

The friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brownawell paid their respects to them at their residence in East North street. Saturday evening: surprising Mrs. Brownawell in honor of the anniversary of her birthday. A party of their former Canton acquaintances came over on the 6:20 train and brought with them a beautiful chair which was presented to Mrs. Brownawell. Progressive euchre and tiddledy winks furnished the inspirations of the evening. The Canton people present were Messrs. Geo. Jalm, Michael and Joseph Kagle, and Jaim, Michael and Joseph Kagle, and Will King, Misses Clara Falla, Lena and Minnie Brightling and Tracy and Min-nie Kagle. They left on a Sunday morning train.

AT THE COUNTY SEAT. Snatches of News from City and he Court House.

Canton, Feb. 23.—The committee ap-

pointed at the mass meeting in the city hall on Saturday to prepare a draft of a bill to be presented to the Ohio legislature submitted a proposed bill late in the meeting. The preamble sets forth the desire of Stark county citizens for a soldiers' memorial building, and speaks of the formation of a memorial association company which is formed for the purpose of erecting a building and become incorporated for the issuing of certificates to the value of \$75,000 preferred stock and \$75,000 common stock. The bil thereupon authorizes the county commissioners to make a levy of one and one-half mills per annum for a period of three years commencing with 1891, which levy suall be placed on the general tax duplicates of the county. The building shall be used for a soldiers' memor ial, and the agricultural, historical, horti cultural or other societies shall have the privilege of the building as well. The proposed bill goes on to specify how the records of the soldiers shall be kept in the memorial building, and provides for the deliverance to the auditor of certificates of common stock, and that either of the county commissioners shall be eligible as a director in said corporation, and finally that all incomes and dividends accruing from stock shall be paid into the country treasury and cred ted to the general fund of said county.

The bill is in line with he ideas advanced by Col. Clark, and, in accordance with the sentiment of the meeting will be presented to the legislature.

The committee on charter also reported, and the first steps toward the erection of the new building were taken, when those present were invited to subscribe their names to the charter, which will, it is hoped, be signed by people from every township before it is sent to secretary if state. There will be other meetings, but the dates have not been

Otto E. Young and B. C. Eberly came over this morning and had an informal talk with the county commissioners regarding the proposed street car railroad in Massillon and through to Canton. Mr. Schmachtenberger said that no petition had been presented as yet, but that one would be given in in a few days. He anticipated no trouble granting the right of way, provided citizens along the proposed line were willing, and if the tracks were said at the side of the street .

GETTING DOWN TO BUSINESS. Responsible | People Asking for Right

of Way for Street Cars.

While the Pittsburg gentlemen, whose names and plans were mentioned in Saturday's issue, were driving over from Canton Saturday afternoon, and thus surveying the route of the proposed street railway, another set of mea was pushing on towards Canton, the object of both parties being identical. The two gentlemen, who drove to Canton, were practical street car builders, sent here to familiarize themselves with the lay of the land, as a means of getting at the probable expense of constructing a

line. Messrs. D. F. Henry and Wm. H. Graham, the Pittsburg gentlemen, returned home on the 9:25 train the same night. They were shown over the territory involved by Messrs. J. W. McClymonds, C. A. Gates and H. W. Loeffler. Mr. Henry is the father of W. D. Henry, formerly general manager of the Massillon Stone and Fire Brick Company, is president of several street car lines, and one of the substantial men of Pittsburg. Mr. Graham is also a wealthy man, is closely identified with the street car system of that city, and, although nothing definite is yet known as to the probable result of their visit, it is safe to state that if these gentlemen secure the franchise the work

will be promptly and satisfactorily done. The following is the form of a petition being circulated for the signatures of property owners on Main, Erie, Mill, Cherry and Akron streets:

To the City Council of Massillon, O .: We, the undersigned owners of real estate abutting on Main street in said city, hereby respectively give our consent to D. F. Henry, Wm. H. Graham, J. W. McClymonds, their successors or assignees, to construct, maintain and operate a street railway along the line of said street, in front of our respective properties, provided that the construction and maintainance thereof shall be without cost either to us individually or the city.

A Very Sudden Death,

Mrs. Lucy Fox died very suddenly Sunday afternoon, at about 5 o'clock, at the home of a friend, Miss Sarah Brown, of Clay street. Mrs. Fox had been in her usual health, and dropped in to make a call. In the midst of her conversation she complained of a peculiar feeling; then covered her face with her hands and almost instantly expired. Harmon Richardson, who lives close by, was sent for, and ne called in a physician, whose efforts, however, proved unavailing. Mrs. Fox's husband is a farmer, but she herself has been a resident of this city. She was 52 years of age, and her death was undoubtedly caused by an affliction of the heart. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from the residence of her son in-law, F. H. Minich, in Cedar street.

Chaity School Opening.

The Charity Rotch school will be reopened April 1, 1891. A limited number of pupils will be received at that time. As a condition of admission to the school it is required that the applicant shall be between 12 and 15 years of age, of good mental and physical constitution, of good moral character, and so destitute of the present or porspective means of securing educational advantages that these would probably not be elsewhere ob Circulars and application blanks tained. will be furnished on application to E. A. Jones, Massillon, Ohio., secretary of the board of trustees.

Latest designs in ladies' small-sized gold watches at C. F. Von Kanel's.

THE BRUTAL SHEEHAN.

A HARMLESS TAILOR
ABUSED FOR NO CAUSE:

Mart Bast Made the Victim of Saloonkeeper Jack Sheehan's Displeas-ure-Kicked and Wounded at 7 O'clock Sunday Morning.

A brutal, and entirely unprovoked assault was committed about half past 7 o'clock Sunday morning upon Mart Bast, an unoffending tailor, by Jack Sheehan, the West Side saloon-keeper. Bast has been a a regular and profitable patron of Sheehan's place, and in accordance with his custom, while devoting his time to periodical consumptions of the ardent, entered thence at the time stated via the Sunday door-in the rear-and called for a "jigger." (For the information of a portion of readers not acquainted with that technical term it is stated that a "jigger" is a whiskey glass of abreviated dimensions, a drink out of which costs but five cents.)

Instead of placing before the nerveshattered customer the desired beverage the human brute, Sheehan, walked from behind the bar, struck Bast, knocking him down, and then kicked him on the head with his heavy boots. The assaulted man presented a fearful sight when he had recovered consciousness sufficiently to get out of the demon's den.

As soon as poor Mart got on the street in his dazed condition he was met by a friend who took him forthwith to a doctor's office. His clothes were saturated with his own blood and his features were scarcely recognizable. One of his eyes was terribly swollen and discolored; his upper lip was cut through to the teeth. the lower part of one ear was also cut through, and large swellings adorned both sides of his head as a result of Sheehan's vigorous kicking. The surgeon sewed up the cuts through the lip and ear and sponged the tailor so that his friends could establish his identity.

The fact of the dastardly assault was first conveyed to an officer by an INDES PENDENT reporter and the officer went to Sheehan's shanty, entered through the Sunday door, found a customer there with a glass of beverage in front of him, and notified the burly and vicious proprietor to appear at the mayor's office at 11 o'clock. The badly used up knight of the goose, in the meantime, filed an affidavit charging his assailant with disorderly conduct, etc., etc.

When Sheehan got before the mayor he stated that he had done nothing to Bast except push him away from the par and that his injuries were produced by falling on the floor. The assault is a peculiarly aggravated one in character for the reason that Mart Bast is as harmless as an infant and combatativeness is entirely foreign to his composition. The defense of brute Sheehan for his conduct was solely that Bast used vulgar lan-guage within the hearing of his children and he was provoked at the tailor for entering his place on Sunday when he (Bast) knew that he did not keep open on that day!

Sheehan was released upon his own recognizance to appear at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon.

The sworn testimony of the two principals in the affair was taken this afternoon, Bast testifying that Sheehan had knocked him down five or six times, following him from the saloon to the kitchen to do so, and disregarding the appeals of his wife and children to refrain.

The mayor fined the man \$15 and costs, \$18.60, which was paid.

AN UNFORTUNATE WOMAN Queer Case Developed by a Re-

porter and an Officer An officer and an INDEPENDENT reporter had a singular and unusual experience, Sunday night, with an inebris ated woman. Coming up Erie street about the hour ten. an unknown female, who was walking south, and was alone, was encountered, and it was observed from her unsteady gait that she had evidently been "looking upon the wine when it is red and giveth its color in the cup." She was shadowed by the She was shadowed by the pair of embryo Hawkshaws, being followed at a respectful distance to the alley at Jacob Snyder's residence, in South Mi.1 street, where she was found sitting on the cold ground, unable to make any farther progress in her journey, with a half pint bottle partly filled with whisky lying

After considerable persuasion the unfortunate woman was induced to accompany the officer to the lockup. An hour later the Irish member of the force was taken to the prison, knew the woman, and with another officer accompanied her to her home in the southern part of the city. She is a respectable married woman with a family of several grown children, and out of regard for them, her husband and herself her name will not be published for this first known offense

TERRIBLE AFFRAY AT COLUMBUS.

A Newspaper War Results in the Shooting of Two Men. pecial Dispatch to The Independent.

COLUMBUS, Feb. 23 .- As the result of a war of words between The World and Capital newspapers here, Howell Osborne, of The Sunday World, was shot and killed by P. J. Elliott, of The Sunday Capital. A bystander named Hughes was also killed. Elliott was fatally shot.

He Brought a Revolver. A young man about town found occasion Saturday night to insult a girl in Prospect street. She called for aid, and the speedy arrival of another young man with a revolver put a sudden end to the

Landreth's new garden seeds just received at Albright & Co.'s.

Fresh lettuce, spinach and celery at Albright & Co.'s.

Boys' watches for from \$4.50 to \$6.00 at Von Kanel's. Fine cream cheese 10c per pound at

A. J. Wire's.

Best Baldwin apples at A. J. Wire's.

the latest for the coming season.

And Men's Furnishers.

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1891

This Date in History-Feb. 23. Birthday of Samuel Pepys, author of "Pepys" Diary" and secretary to the admiralty.

Death of Sir Joshua Reynolds, painter; born

1827-Sir Walter Scott at a dinner acknowledged his authorship of the Waverly novels.

1831—Death of Joanna Baillie, poet and dramatist

1832-Ancona, an ancient Roman port on the Adriatic, occupied by the French.

38 Revolution and street fighting in Paris. Nashville, Tenn., and in the following March

Andrew Johnson was made military governo Ex-Governor Foster has done so

much for his party, in this state, that Ohio Republicans to a man, take a personal satisfaction in regarding his selection as secretary of the treasury.

The alleged county meeting at Canton, on Saturday last, in the interest of the public building which Canton desires Stark county to erect, was a rather weak affair. The jury was not packed exactly, but the affair was gotten up by Canton people, and it was attended by Canton people, and it voiced the wishes of Canton people, almost without exception The few outsiders present inform THE INDEPENDENT that it was not worth while, at such a gathering, to speak in opposition to the project.

THE GENTLEMAN FROM PICKAWAY

The gentleman from Pickaway, who obtains some official recognition from this county, has been catching it again. The gentleman from Pickaway, with his happy faculty for editor of the Toledo Blade:

"We were in high hopes that it Rev. Hon. Edward Everett Dresbach. who figures as being the only member of the Ohio assembly who dollars per acre, which is deemed suffihas preached the gospel to suffering ciently high, or rather, too high, when and sinful humanity.

"Ordained to lead his weak and Drestach s record in politics would be one of diligent service of the right. be one of diligent service of the right; that he would be ethical in every- in the near future. thing and never follow in the footsteps of evil, nor go into the way of Hamilton county.

"The first suspicion of wrong came when we learned that he was a Demas though to sever his connection disorderly conduct. with the church he has debased himsaloons and beer gardens; voting ation in that domicile. He took a pail the courage to do what a young Irishman from Cincinnati, Nolan, did, re-

"The blush of shame did not come over the hardened face of the expreacher and religious teacher. When a good man does go to the dogs he goes to the extreme. So with Dresbach. How art thou fallen from heaven, O Lucifer, son of porarily crazy man captured after he had the morning! Hic jacet. Dresbach, jumped out of a front window. Mr. the morning! Hic jacet, Dresbach, the minister! Rise, Dresbach, the pot-house politician!"

cord himself against it.

The Prudential Pays Its Claims

Mr. Editor:—Regarding the rumor in West Massillon that the Prudential Insurance Company of America refused to pay a claim will say that a gentleman employed by the claimants called at the office of the company and examined the records of the policy of deceased and found policy lapsed and nothing paid since Jan. 6, 1890, and that no obligations on part of the company existed towards deceased. And I may add that the promptness of paying claims is well A. B. HINTON, Ass't. Supt.

What a Change

Is wrought in people who suffer from rheumatism when they take Hood's Sarsaparilla. The acidity of the blood which causes the disease, is neutralized, the blood is purified and vitalized, the aching joints and limbs rest easily and quietly, and a feeling of serene health is imparted. Hood's Sarsaparilla has accomplished wonders for thousands subject to rheumatism. Try it yourself.

Have You Tried It?

A large supply of tiddledy winks, the game that is turning the heads of threequarters of the people, at
THE INDEPENDENT Co.,

20 East Main street.

CANTON THROUGH AND THROUGH. That Being the Case Canton People

Should Foot the Bills. MR. EDITOR:-A very respectable meeting gathered in the city hall of Canton on Saturday, in the furtherance of the proposed Canton memorial building. It seemed to be composed mainly of Canton people. Its object was stated at length by the chief promotor of the scheme, who in his second speech was heard to say that he was born in Canton, brought up in Canton, and was "all Canton through and through," or about that. And while the proposition to have within the proposed building, a memorial room in which shall be placed the name of each soldier who went out from the county to fight for the protection of the Union, is highly laudable, a city library room is also wanted, a large assembly room capable of holding several thousand, a room for works of art, archeology, geology, mineralogy, etc., rooms for the agricultural and horticultural meetings, and with all, an elegant and expensive building for the ornamentation of and mainly for the benefit of Canton. Such appearing to be the case, why should the county be asked to share in the ex-pense? Tuscarawas, Bethlehem, Jackson and Plain townships were represented, but it was plain to be seen that it was but a one sided meeting, the county it large not being represented at all Will it be wise to continue the policy of concentrating everything of a public nature in Canton at public expense, tend ering to impove ish the surrounding towns and county, rendering them dry and unattractiv? We see the extravaand unattractiv? gance and corruption engendered in the concentration of wealth in cities, of which this county has had a taste in the \$10,000 sewerage business. complain of high taxes, and the high salaries paid county officials, the towns complain of high taxes, vet Canton seems to urge the policy of adding expense to expense, and when shall this thing end? How much better for each township to have its own township building, as Jackson, for instance, in which to assemble on public and educational matters. With such a building in each township, a township library would eventually follow, and light be diffused more generally than if all were concentrated in one central city. ***

FARM LAND VALUATION

The Recent Appraisement Publicly Discussed.

Perry Grange held an open convention in Grange hall, in this city, on Saturday, February 21, which was largely attended by farmers, many from outside the order being present. The object of the meeting was to discuss the recent appraisement of the land of Stark county.

The question was opened by John Poorman, of Tuscarawas township, and a lively discussion followed, participated in by D. Murray, Israel Bixler, W. D. jumping on the wrong side or the Oberlin and a number of other interested fence, secures this attention from the cussion was that the appraisement of land in Stark county, outside of city limits, as compared with other counties in the state, is already too high, and that would not be necessary for us to a reduction of about ten per cent. on agagain speak in anything but a com- ricultural land would be fair and just. mendatory manner of our theologi- Probably in not more than two counties years. cal and pseudological friend, the in the state will the appraisement stand

higher than in Stark. The appraisement of farming lands in Stark average a fraction over thirty-four the depreciation of farm lands and farm products are taken into considera-"Ordained to lead his weak and tion and that to add an additional sum erring brethren out of the broad and of \$300,000 as recommended to the board flowery way into the narrow and of equalization will be an imposition on thorny path, the casual observer the agricultural class of taxpayers. A would suppose that the Rev. Mr. committee consisting of ten members rence, and another meeting will be held

A DEVOTED HUSBAND.

He Pours Milk on the Stove and Throws Out the Butter.

A glassblower named Joe Hazel, who ocrat; the second blow fell soon after lives with w wife and two children oppowhen it was reported that he used a site the Ft. Wayne freight warehouse, large rotund cuss word in the House; was locked up about 5 o'clock Sunday then he began to read law, and now evening upon complaint of his wife for

The woman's story, as told to the offiself to vote against the Holliday bill cer, and afterwards to the mayor, is that to protect minors from the snare of her husband came home drunk and immediately proceeded to enliven the situwith his party and not even having of buttermilk and threw it over the floor; next emptied a pitcher of sweet milk on the cook stove; took a plate of butter from the shelf and kicked it across the room, concluding the Sunday afternoon diversion by seizing the butcher knife and threatening to carve her up. The woman ran from the house, alarmed the neighbors and notified an officer at the station. When the officer got there the house was barricaded, but an entrance was effected via a window and the tem-Glassblowsr will not be given a hearing until to morrow.

Her Husb d's Friend

Is the title of Albert Ross's new novel, paper covers, uniform with "Speaking of Ellen," "Thou shalt Not," "His Private Character," etc. 50 cents.

INDEPENDENT COMPANY, 20 East Main street

Notice to Soldiers.

We hereby request all the ex-soldiers of Massillon and vicinity to meet in the G. A. R. hall on Monday evening, Feb. 23, for consultation on important matters MANY SOLDIERS.

What is the Use to pay \$1.00 when you can buy the Scotch Sorsaparilla for 50 cents per bottle, 50 doses. Scotch Little Liver Pills 25 cents. For sale by Morganthaler & Heister.

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The want column is authority on "sitnations and help wanted."

Home grown lettuce at A. J. Wire's.

SHALL THE CANAL EXIST?

FRIENDLY TO THE CANAL.

K. F. Erhard-In some respects the canal is a nuisance, but I am opposed to its abandonment. I favor the widening of this highway of commerce, and think it could be made remunerative. There's the Erie canal, in New York, which is a profit to the state of \$200,000 a year, and there is no reason why the Ohio canal could not also be made profitable, as it is now a great convenience as a substitute for a railroad. What if the state has several million dollars invested in it, the abandonment would work injury to several millions of people.

THE BEST REASON IN THE WORLD.

Conrad, Dangler & Brown-We're canal men, for the very best reason in the world: We think the business people of Ohio living on the canal should have some protection in the matter of freight rates from the grinding monopoly of our business the difference in the expense of railroad and canal transportation is fifty cents a thousand feet of lumber, but considering the inconvenience of handling our com modity the difference is at least a dol!ar in favor of the canal.

AGAINST THE PROPOSITION.

Wm. Castleman-I stand on that prop osition against the abandonment of the canal. It has done more for Onio than all the railroads of the state, and I am strongly in favor of maintaining it.

The Late William Laughiin.

The Toledo Blade of the 17th furnishes a notice of the late William Laughlin, one of Massilion's early and enterprising citizens, which is too extended for reproduction. Mr. Laughlin came to this city in 1832, and commenced business as a saddler and harness maker and continued in that business during the thirteen years of his residence here. He built the residence now occupied by C. L. McLain, John Printz, Clift, Poe, Sherman Cocheso., which, however, has been much ran, James Siffert, Dr. Penberthy, Thos. esq., which, however, has been much improved by alterations since. After having lived the time above stated, the growing city of Toledo attracted his attention and he removed there, and where he has resided for the past torty. five years, and has been successful in his business enterprises. As showing the growth of this city, it may be stated that almost all of this city north of Plum street in the third ward, has been built since Mr. Laughlin built his residence at the corner of Plum and Hill streets, now one of the most thickly settled and handsome portions of the city. The mortuary statistics are truitful in recording the passing days of Massillon's early settlers and business men. Of Mr. Laughlin it must be said he lived and dies an upright, praiseworthy citizen in all that those word simply.

Wost Brookfield. Daniel Stanford is very ill with the

Henry A. Jones has purchased proper-

ty in West Massilion. David Morgan was burned severely by an explosion of gas in West Massillon Coal Co's No. 2 mine, Tuesday.

Postmaster Jones reports that be handled 276 valentines this season. By the way. Mr Jones has fitted the handsomest post office that the citizens of this place have had the pleasure to patronize for

Miss C. M. Hann has been employed to teach the summer term in the Bowman district.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Smith, a son. "Doc" is very proud of the boy and has named him John, in henor of his grandfather, and the boys say that John is nearly as large as his pa.

Henry Friend has returned from an extended trip to the West. Miss Eva Minnick has returned from a

short visit in Summit.

William Smith paralyzed an audience at Forty Corners with his eloquence Wednesday night.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Leonard, a

Wm. Christman sold his farming impliments etc., at pub ic sale Friday. will lead a retired life, his son doing the

Miss Nellie Miller was compelled to close ber school a few days in consequence of illness.

Those Aristocratic Dogs.

The official announcement, in Friday's INDEPENDENT, that City Clerk Loeffler would leave on the 1 p. m. train Sunday for New York with Mr. J. H. Hunt's splendid specimen of the St. Bernard dog, Don H., and his own celebrated pointer dog, Don Croxteth, was sufficient to attract almost two hundred people to the Ft. Wayne station. While awaiting the arrival of the train Don H., with his ponderous proportions and intelligent cast of features was in turn admired and patted on the head by almost every person at the depot, and everybody could do so entered the baggage car to see the noble animal placed in his commondious carpeted crate, as well as to get a glance at Don Croxteth, who was put on the train at the McBeth Kennels. North Lawrence, and was comfortably ensconced in a dog palace suitable to his station in the capine family. The general expressed opinion was that both dogs will secure merited recognition in the form of prizes, notwithstanding the fact that scores or more will be entered in their classe. The "Major" expects to return with his friends next Sunday evening.

The Standard Theater Company

Long before the doors were opened last night at the Academy every seat in the house was sold and many were turnaway unable to get even standing room Mr. Ramage's company played here last season and that he was remembered by our theater goers was attested by the reception given him last night. "The Octoroon, or Life in Louisiana" was select ed for the opening bill, and it certainly made a hit with the vast audience as at times the applause was defening Mise Sadie Farley, the star, took the character of "Zoe, the Octoroon," which was well handled by this lady. Den Wilkes, as "Jacob McCleskey," certainly filled the character. The Wahnotee Indian, by John W. Barr, was a good piece of actions and received hearty employee. The ing and received hearty applause. The negro "Pete," by Chas. Price, and the "Salem Scudder," of Edwin Burke, were both in capable hands and the charac ters well taken.—Parkersburg (W. Va.) Sentinel.

Ask your dealer for "Enterprise Mill" white loaf flour. Take no other.

ECHOES FROM THE SHOPS. Note and Comment on Men and Do-

ings at Russell Co.'s.

excite commotion in the community.

Mr. Kettering is now not the only gentleman of whiskers in the farm engine department. Mr. W. H. Stansbury has now taken up his quarters there also.

There must be some hard hearted peo

the name. There is an instrument in there that has all the blended tones of all instruments from the jews harp down to the horse-fiddle. When it begins to play it would be hard to imagine a greater racket if the devil himself was on a rampage.

The Sick List: Mr. E. S. Mills is down with fever, and is receiving medical attention at the home of his parents. Mr. Bernard Portner continues to improve, and will be able to return to work in No material change about two weeks. is reported in Mr. David Umbenhour's condition. Mr. Fred Lucker is about the same, but is expected to improve with warmer weather. Austin Hisey and J. T. Graves are still sick at Cleveland and Canton. Mr. Ernest Bammerlin has returned to work. Wm. Lantz's recovery is not yet report. Mr. Judson Farrell returned to work this morning. Philip Geis has not yet recovered from his catch as catch can wrestle with a drill.

A select affair took place at the resience of Mr. Henry Snyder, in South Eriestreet, Saturday evening. The following gentlemen were fortunate enough to be there by invitation of Mr. Snyder, who by messenger sent out neatly embossed cards, which will be retained by the recipients as souvenirs to call up the pleasant occasion years to come. Here is a list of the favored: F. G. Borden, Myers, Henry Pflug, N. Fromboliz and Dick Walker. It was, not strangely, dubbed an elderberry party, though we leave it to Henry to explain There was a general contest in the bill of fare served in which Mr. Printz did not participate, he having overdone himself at a six-gallon crock of head cheese, retired early in the evening. Messrs. Penberthy, Boaden and S.ffert were even in the race when everything had been devoured, head cheese and all.

LATE SI MAGUNDI NOTES surped from a short visit with Mrs. Ben. Hathaway, of Canal Dover.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Morgan are cele-

The funeral of Jacob Hug took place at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the residence in North Mill street, The Mass sillon (German) Lodge I. O. O. F. and the German Pioneer Association attended in regalia, the pallbearers being three members of each organization.

Mr. W. A. Ulman returned from Washington this noon, the defeat of the silver bill making his presence no longer

guest of Miss Rogers, Sunday.

A flock of forty-seven wild geese were seen flying nortward, over town, at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

day to the effect that John W. Sharp the engineer who had two ribs broken in the C., L & W. collision last Friday would die from his injuries. The company surgeon said this afternoon that the man had suffered some from inflamation of the stomach, but that he had he had recovered from it, and is advancing rapidly toward his usual health.

Lena Schott, of this city, instituted proceedings in justice's court this afternoon charging Martin Schwitter, living on the Shriver farm with the paternity of her

We have sold Ely's Cream Balm about three years, and have recommended its use in more than a hundred special cases of catarrh. The unanimous answer to our inquiry is, "It's the best remedy that I have ever used." ence is, that where parties continued its use, it never fails to cure. - J. H. Mont-

unsightly lumps or swellings in the neck; which causes running sores on the arms, legs, or feet; which develops ulcers in the eyes, ears, or nose, often causing blindness or deafness; which is the origin of pimples, cancerous growths, or "humors;" which, fastening upon the lungs, causes consumption and death. It is the most ancient of all diseases, and very few persons are entirely free from it.

the remarkable cures it has accomplished, has proven itself to be a potent and peculiar medicine for this disease. If you suffer from scrofula, try Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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ple in Petersburg. "Music hall" is now justly entitled to

Mrs. Jacob Yager, Mrs. Charles Yager and Miss Mary Ann Richards bave re-

brating their twelfth wedding anniversary to-day.

Miss Theresa Paul spent Sunday at

The Stark County Horticultural Society will hold the next meeting on March at Keim's hall, Louisville.

Chas. Wilhelm, of Wooster, was the

A rumor was curren on the streets to-

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TO THE PUBLIC.

For Bargains in Carriages & Wagons See P.H. Young

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Shoshone, the latest collar. Spangler

Sugar way down at Albright & Co.'s.



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

STREET COMMISSIONER The name of Thomas Volkmor is announced as a candidate for street commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary election. We are authorized to announce the name of John J. Geis as a candidate for Street (ommissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries at the spring election.

John B. Snyder, at request of many citizens, announces himself a candidate for Street Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican Primary election. The name of Wm. Vogt is announced as a can

didate or street commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary election. The name of Joseph Healey is announced as a candidate for Street Commissioner, subject to the Republican primary election. Zek. Keller is announced as candidate for street commissioner, subject to the decision of the Re-publican primary election.

CITY TREASURER. The name of Paul Kirchhofer is announced as a candidate for the nomination for city treasurer, subject to the direction of the Democratic primary election.

Please announce the name of L. A. Koons as a candidate for the office of City Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

MANY REPUBLICANS. To my inquiring friends: I wish to inform you that I am a candidate for city treasurer subject to the decision of the Republican nomination.

The name of Louis List is announced as a can-didate for the office of City Treasurer, subject to, the decision of the Democratic primary election CITY SOLICITOR.

The name of E. G. Willison is announced as a candidate for City Solicitor, subject to the Republican nomination. The name of D. F. Reinoehl is announced as a candidate for City Solicitor, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

TOWNSHIP TREASURER The name of Martin Schafer is announced as a Republican candidate for township treasurer. MARSHAL, Please announce the name of Adam Wendling as a candidate for marshal, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.n

The undersigned having purchased the store, fixtures and good will of the late firm of Cupples & Fribley, Druggists, at No. 7 West Main street, Massillon, respect ully announce that in the future the lusiness will be carried on under the personal management of Dr. F. E. Seaman. No. 7 West Main St. Mr. Frib'ey, Pharmacist

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MINE EXPLOSION.

KNOWN TO BE 117.

Deadly Black Damp Followed the Upheaval.

The Spring Hill Mine, Most Important in the Cumberland Field, a Total Wreck -One of the Greatest Disasters in the History of Nova Scotia Coal Mining-The Day Previous the Mine Had Been Examined by the Inspector and Shortly Before by a Committee of the Men-Two and Three of the Bread Winners of Some Families Taken.

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 23.-A tremendous explosion took place in the east side of the east slope of the Spring Hill mine Saturday, which resulted in a large loss of life and the destruction of the mine. The total number of deaths is now placed at 117. The Spring Hill mine is the most important in the Cumberland coal field. It employes 1,000 men. Its output is 2.500 tons of coal daily, and it is owned by Montreal and English capitalists. Hithorto it has been singularly free from explosions, and the capse of the disaster is so far and the cause of the disaster is so far unexplained. The news of the disaster created the most intense excitement and the whole population appear to have gone wild. It was only Friday that the mine was examined by Deputy Inspec-tor Madden and a few days previously by a committee of the men and found always with sentiments of high esteem to be in a satisfactory condition. The news spread like wildfire, and within a sonal traits. few minutes after the report was heard the mouth of the pit was surrounded by heart-broken wives and mothers whose

Shrieks and Cries of Angwish

rent the frosty air as the dead and dying forms of their husbands and sons were slowly brought to the surface. The bodies were terribly mutilated, and many of them presented a sickening bail. It is claimed by the prosecution spectacle. Volunteer parties were immediately organized to bring up the bodies, although the rescue of any of the men who were supposed to be beyoud the immediate scene of the calamity was known to be impossible. Choke damp set in immediately after the explosion, and it is certain that every man down in the mine is now Manager Smith was down in the mine at the time and he, too, is among the victims. The mine was com-pletely wrecked and the passage ways blocked. There was

No Lack of Brave Volunteers,

but the work of rescue was attended with great difficulty, and the rescuers themselves had many narrow escapes. affliction is very great. Reid Carter and his two sons are among the dead. The Carmichael family lose three sons. Jesse Armishaw went down No. 2 slope last night and

Found His Three Sons and a Brother piled together in a heap in one corner of the mine. The sight so unnerved him that he had to return to the surface without his boys. Two sons of Robert McVey, both under 14 years, occupy one coffin. Hugh Bunt loses two sons. These sorrowful households are only a few of the large numbers from which another turn Saturday, in the manager bread winners have been so ruthlessly of the establishment obtaining a temposnatched. The deepest gloom has set-Some tled over the whole community. of the bodies have been frightfully the strikers from interfering with the mutilated and had to be identified by business of the works. The sheriff the clothing or marks on their bodies. The mine's outbuildings have been converted into morgues and hospitals, where the dead and injured are taken. Clergymen of the different denomina-tions are doing what they can for the grief-stricken people. The injured are progressing most favorably and are being tenderly cared for.

SALT RIVER VALLEY FLOODED.

Many Frame Houses Swept Away and Five Pima Indians Drowned.

TEMPLE, ARI., Feb. 23.-Salt River victims will follow. Valley has just been visited by the greatest flood on record. The storm is general over this country. It swept over Arizona with a deluge of rain, raising streams to torrents and the rivers far above flood levels. Many frame structures were flooded away. The northern edge of the flood entered the city of Phoenix, flooding out many poor families. The electric light works were flooded and the town left in dark-ness. About 100 abode houses fell in as soon as the waters soaked them. The river has now nearly reached its normal height. The loss by the flood is about \$125,000. Five Pima Indians were the only persons known to have been drowned, although it is reported that a white family perished on an island north

of Phœnix. Weather Forecast.

For Western Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio and West Virginia: Variable winds, fair Monday; slightly warmer by Tuesday.

DINNER TO SENATUR EVARTS.

President Harrison Paid a High Tribate to Mr. Evarts and His Ability.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.-Senator Hisock, of New York, gave a dinner at the THE FATAL DEATH LIST Arlington Saturday night in honor of his colleague, Senator Evarts, who will retire from the senate on the fourth of March next. President Harrison, Vice President Morton, Secretary Tracy, Representative Belden, Anson G. Mc-Cook and about twenty-five of Mr. Hiscock's associates in the senate of both parties were present. After due attention had been given to the menu and cigars had been lighted there were numerous

informal toasts andresponses. Mr. Evarts was toasted by President Harrison and responded feelingly. He referred to the pleasant associations that he had formed in the senate during his service there and of the personal ties that bound him Washington. President Harrion was the last

WILLIAM M. EVARTS. speaker, he hav-ing been toasted by Senator Evarts and his speech was in response thereto. He paid a high tribute to Mr. Evarts and his ability. He referred to the long and honorable qualities. Senator Vest made a very appropriate and pleasant speech complimentary to Mr. Evarts. He closed with a toast to Senator Spooner, whose approaching departure from the senate had been frequently alluded to during the evening by the various speakers, and always with sentiments of high esteem

UNDER A BLACK CLOUD.

A Bookkeeper Charged with Raising Two Cheeks in Youngstown.

Youngstown, O., Feb. 23.-J. C. positing them with a bank in Warren, and that when they came into his hands again he erased the raised part in order to cover up the forgery. Brenneman is married, and sustains the reputation of an expert bookkeeper. He claims to be able to establish his innocence.

DEATH-STROKE OVER CARDS.

Knifing Affray in a Dayton Saloon Which Ends in the Death of the Victim.

DAYTON, O., Feb. 23.—Charles Kirby, formerly employed on the White Line street cars, died Saturday from the ef-The work of recovering the bodies of fects of knife wounds received on the the dead is being pushed rapidly forward. All the bodies, except those buried under fallen roofs and slate, have been recovered. Two of those injured the cutting, and, it is claimed, acted in died yesterday. To several families the self-defense. The affair was the result of a wrangle over a game of cards. Schoufe, on hearing of the death of Kirby, gave himself up to the police authorities, and was locked up on a charge of murder, pending an examination.

FINDLAY STRIKERS ENJOINED.

Pottery Owners Secure a Temporary Injunction Against Fifty Men.

FINDLAY, O., Feb. 23.—The strike at the Bell Brothers' pottery, in this city, which has been on since Jan. 1, took rary injunction from Judge Johnson, of the common pleas court, restraining business of the works. The sheriff served the injunction on about fifty of the leading strikers, but it is likely that they will find new methods of stopping the pottery.

Victims Begin Suing.

FINDLAY, O., Feb. 23. — Miss Ella Johnson, who was horribly mangled and disfigured for life in the late natural gas explosion at the Hotel Maroin, late Saturday evening began suit against S. E. Maroin, the owner of the building, and the man who lighted the match which caused the disaster. claiming damages to the sum of \$4,350. Suits of other

Flood at Cincinnati Getting Serious. CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 23.—The Ohio rose an inch an hour all day yesterday. Reports from above show a heavy rise The gauge marks 54 feet 8 inches. last train went out of the Grand Central depot last night, and passengers will be received and discharged at the transfer station, three miles from the city. The flood is getting serious.

George Johnson, a Writer, Dead. WILMINGTON, DEL., Feb. 23.—George Johnson, aged 62 years, died at Elkton, Md., yesterday. He wrote a history of Cecil county, Md., and a history of Chester county, Pa. He was also a

newspaper writer. Station Agent Assassinated. LOUISVILLE, KY., Feb. 23.—James Campbell, station agent at Brownsboro, twenty miles east of Louisville, on the Louisville and Nashville road, was assassinated Saturday night by unknown

EX-GOV. FOSTER CHOSEN

TO FILL THE CABINET VACANCY, SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

President Barrison Sent the Nomination to the Senate Saturday-He and the Ex-Governor in Perfect Accord on the Finance Question and There is No Probability of Any Change in the Financial Situation - Nothing but Kind Words Expressed at His Home

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The president sent a number of nominations to the senate Saturday, and among them that of ex-Governor Charles Foster, of Ohio, to be secretary of the treasury, the successor of the late Secretary Windom. Mr. Foster was elected governor of Ohio in 1879 as the representative of sound money over Gen. Thomas Ewing,

who was the candidate of the Greenbackers. It is said at the White House that the president and Governor Foster are in perfect accord on the finance question, and there is no probability of any change in the financial situa-

tion. The nomi-EX-GOVERNOR FOSTER ernor Foster was favorably received about the Capitol and it was very highly commended by the men best acquainted with the new secretary. The Ohio congressmen spoke of him as a man of strong personal worth, large experience as a successful business man well acquainted with public affairs.

Short Sketch of His Life.

Ex-Governor Foster was born in Seneca county, O., on April 12, 1828. His father, who was a native of Massa-chusetts, settled first in New York, and subsequently removed to Northern Ohio, where he established a country store, which proved the beginning of a vast business enterprise. A few years ago the two towns of Rome and Riston were consolidated and incorporated under the name of Fostoria, as a testimonial to the family enterprise. The firm of Foster & Co. has for many years done an immense trade in general merchandise, grain, wool, pork and provisions, and a banking house was long ago added to the business. Mr. Foster devoted his whole time to his business affairs until 1870, when he became the

Republican Candidate for Congress cratic legislature in the meantime ger- | they rymandered the state in such a fashion that he was thrown into a strong Democratic district, and, although he was urged to become a candidate in another district, with a certainty of election, he persisted in running in the district which included his place of residence, and was defeated by 1,255 plurality. dent, "as would give to the people of the states of South Carolina and Louisiana the right to control their own

Ment Down Through the Senttle

affairs in their own way.' Elected Governor of Ohio.

This action made him very obnoxious to the "Stalwart" wing of the Republican party, but it did not suffice to prevent him from receiving the Republican nomination for governor of Ohio in the critical campaign of 1879, and, after an exciting contest, he was elected by 3,352 plurality over Ewing, Democrat. In 1881 he was re-elected by 1,244 majority over all opposition, Bookwalter being the Democratic candidate. Since then Governor Foster has not held office, though active in politics and a prominent figure in Republican national conventions. He ran for congress at the last election, but as the Democrats had again gerrymandered the state, he was defeated. In Fostoria the governor is simply known as "Charlie," and with all his acquaintances he is the same genial, clever gentleman that he was inmates except those mentioned were when his entire attention was given to got out in safety. calico and butter and eggs.

KIND WORDS FROM TIFFIN.

Ex-Governor Foster's Appointment Hailed with Joy All Through Seneca County. of ex-Governor Foster to the treasury portfolio gives especial pleasure to the successful. Riley was filled with bulnesone of Seneca county prespective of lets by the crowd, and then strung up people of Seneca county irrespective of party affiliations, and there was a general rejoicing on receipt of the antici-pated good tidings from Washington. The spirit of emulation between Tiffin and Fostoria in times past has engen-dered considerable ill-feeling against the ex-governor, but nothing but the of Rollif Sanderson, in the town of kindest words for him were expressed Perry, twenty miles southwest of Madi-The prevailing opinion is that President Harrison has made a judicious selection to fill the vacancy in his official family.

Another Case of Brutal Murder. Springfield, O., Feb. 23. - William H. Hambright, whose body was found at the A. C. Evans Manufacturing com-pany's plant Saturday night, and whose death was at first pronounced by the coroner to have resulted from hemorrhage, is known to have been foully Coakley and an unknown man. and brutally murdered.

CONDENSED OHIO NEWS.

Northwestern Ohio was shaken up Satarday by what was generally supposed to be an earthquake shock, but which proved to be an explosion of a magazine of nitro-glycerine three miles northwest of Findlay. The magazine, which contained about fifty cans of the explosive, was struck by lightning.

Miss Mary Kirchner was awarded \$10, 500 damages against the Lake Erie and Western Railroad company in court at Lima, Saturday. This is the second trial of the case. She was made a crip-ple for life by a horse running away at a crossing.

MET A HORRIBLE FATE.

SIX PERSONS BURNED TO DEATH OR SUFFOCATED IN A FIRE.

Thirty-Two Families Left Destitute by the Destruction of Their Homes-The Fire Cut Off All Escape by Means of the Stairway and in Endeavoring to Reach the Roof the Victims Perished-Some of Those Burned Hardly Recognizable -Many Narrow Escapes.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—A disastrous fire in the cellar of a Brooklyn tenement house occurred Saturday night and resulted in the death of six persons. The house was the five-story brick flat house Nos. 129 and 131 Sands street. The nation of ex-Gov- building was occupied by thirty-two families, who are left destitute by the destruction of their homes. The fire started about 7 p. m. from some unknown cause in the cellar of No. 129. Before the flames were discovered they had reached the dumb waiter shaft in the middle of No. 129 and almost immediately rose to the roof. Three alarms were of fire at once sent out, but be-fore an entrance could be made to the building the fire had cut off all escape to the ground by means of the staircase. The whole front of the building was covered with fire escapes, and most of the tenants came out upon them and were

Taken Down on the Ladders which the firemen raised to the iron bal-The fire did not extend to the cond building until the were reached and none of the tenants in that half of the double flat lost anything more than their goods. Each half had eight apartments on each floor besides the stores on the ground floor. Among the tenants on the fourth floor was John E. Downey, a printer. With him lived his wife, Margaret Downey, in the Tenth Ohio district, and was elected. He entered the house of repelected. He entered by continuation of the family away, but all the rest of the family way, but all the rest of the family way. were at home. When they found that RUSSELL & CO.,

Could Not Make Their Escape down the stairs, they rushed to No. 129 in spite of the fact that the flames were coming up all around them. On the way up Miss Griffin said to Julia Griffin, who had two of the children, that she would turn back to help Mrs. Downey who, with the two others, was behind Mr. Foster took a prominent part in the presidential contest in 1876-77, and it was he who wrote the letter of Feb. 26, with that of Mrs. Downey and one of was he who wrote the letter of Feb. 26, 1877, in which Governor Hayes was pledged to adopt such a policy, as president "as would give to the people of

Went Down Through the Scuttle of No. 131. One of the children that was with Mrs. Downey escaped to the roof, but was so badly burned that his little lifeless body was found stretched on the skylight on the roof. On the third floor lived Carl Benedict and his wife, an 18-months-old child and Jacob Benedict, the father of Carl. They, too, attempted to escape by the roof, but the grandfather and his little grandfather. child were overcome at the foot of the fatal stairway, and were found beside the two women and the child.

The Names of the Killed. Edward Benedict and his grandson, 18 menths old.

menths old.

Margarget Griffin, 60 years old.

Mrs. Margaret Downey, 25 years old.

Daniel Downey, 8 years old, the boy found on the roof, and Minnie Downey, 4 years old. All the bodies were taken to the morgue. Some of them were burned almost beyond recognition. All of the

Filled with Bullets and Strung Up. SALIDA, Col., Feb. 23.—Patrick Sullivan was shot by Oliver Riley Saturday evening, dying shortly afterward. When the news of his death was noised about TIFFIN, O., Feb. 23.—The nomination a mob was organized and a rush made at the railroad crossing. Sullivan was chute, which was against orders.

A Home Wrecked by Fire.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 23.—The home of Rollif Sanderson, in the town of son, was burned Friday. It was occupied by Marcus Holquarson and his family. The oldest child was cremated and another has since died from its injuries, while the mother, who rushed into the fire for her little ones, has become blind from the effects of the fire.

Killed on a Railroad Crossing. Hudson, Mass., Feb. 23.—The Washington express struck a team near Way-land crossing last evening, killing Daniel "Just fits the hand."



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LOTS—Two or three choice lots on Andrew street; also store room building on West Main street. The latter will be rented if desired. In-quire of Patrick Burke or H. Loeffler. 23-6t

MO: ERN CO: TAGE—One of the healthlest and most desirable locations in town, ten rooms, eight closets and pantry, gas, &c.—five minutes walk from postoffice. Inquire at 22 Wellman street of Mrs. J. F. Paul. 19-6t 4

PLATE GLASS FRONT—The large imported French glass windows and iron columns now constituting front of Dielhenn's grocery. Apply 27-ff

PIANO—A good square piano. Will sell cheap as I expect to leave town, Mrs. J. F. Paul. No. 22 Wellman street

SHOW CASES-Two 6 foot oval nickel show cases for sale. Call at Henrich & Konl. 28-tf THE Independent will be obliged to those who answer advertisement under this head, if they will kindly state that they were attracted by means of this paper.

THE BERNHARDT CRAZE.

IT HAS GREATLY AFFECTED NEW YORK WOMEN'S DRESS.

Olive Harper Describes the Result at ing In, and They Are Fetching, Too.

[Special Correspondence. NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—It is amusing to see how quickly the Tosca and Cleopatra styles in dress have broken out. House dresses, street attire, and particularly evening gowns, all show the effect of the Bernhardt rage. But each lady is more or less of a law to herself, and varies her robe according to her own taste or the exigencies of her purse or figure. Mme.



de Barrios, the many times millionaire widow, wore a Cleopatra costume at her recent fancy dress ball, and at this same ball there were no less than four Tosca gowns and one other Cleopatra. One of them only was historically correct.

But the Tosca dresses are modeled as closely as possible after those worn by the great French actress, though a slight modification in the waist would not be out of order. Still, when we reflect that our sainted great-grandmothers wore gowns just like them we ought not to find fault.

One handsome dress was of cream colored satin, with a long train of the same bordered with sable far; a narrow band of the same trims the bottom in front, and above this is a pretty border of black and gold embroidery. There is a standing frill on each shoulder above the short puffed sleeve. The hair is dressed high with a comb, and a diadem is worn around the head.

Another very taking dress is of ruby velvet and pale pink crepe de Chine, with three rows of rose plaited taffetas silk around the skirt. The waist is pretty short, but the whole effect is very handsome. A scarf of mousseline de soie and a hat like that in the figure are additions to the costume if it is to be worn to a fancy dress ball, and any clever young lady can easily do them herself With some slight changes these two gowns can be made most useful as well as picturesque.

Two other dresses, these for the street, are quite worthy of the present day, and indeed they may be seen to-morrow on the street, worn by some bright young girls who like to make something of a sensation while looking their very prettiest. One dates from 1822, and the original is of gray barege, with little shells made | held in \$10,000 bail each to await the inof the barege placed at equal distances all around the skirt in three rows, each held down by a lapel of satin in the same shade fastened with a steel button. The waist, which used to be called a Spencer, is very short and ornamented with steel buttons. There is a high collar embroidered with steel beads. The bonnet in the picture is of white Tuscan lined with "peachblow" silk, and with a puffed crown trimmed with daisies. The shape of the bonnet could easily be imitated in a soft leghorn hat bent down into the desired form, and the whole gown would be as dainty and picturesque a dress for the maidens of today as in the olden times.

And the 1790 dress. It differs scarcely at all from the very newest of today's fashions, only that the skirt is a little fuller and the hat is a different shape. This hat, which is so fearfully and wonderfully made, is of white silk, with mauve ribbon sewn on, and a plaiting of mauve up the front. The Henrik collar is of chiffon, the corsage of Pekin striped silk, the jacket of white silk, with mauve facings, "brownish" mitts and royal blue skirt. Blue and purple are fighting colors, but the style of the coat and vest is really good, and the costume is piquante and pretty, and if made by the clever fingers of one of our own girls would be a genuine novelty.



COULD ANYTHING BE PRETTIER?

It is quite a study to note the different gowns seen at any large gathering. Each lady seems to have studied her own person with a view of dressing to the best advantage, and some will wear an elaborate Worth costume, while another will appear to be draped like the legitimate Ophelia, all in soft draperies of white. Another, again, will be severely elegant in a plain velvet gown of ancient style; one will have a fluff of illusion held here and there by a few flowers, while yet another will look her stateliest in Greek or Roman draperies, and the rest will wear dresses, gowns and frocks copied after old pictures.

OLIVE HARPER.

PROGRAMME FOR THE WEEK.

The Paddock Pure Food Bill and the Conger Lard Bill in the Senate-Appropriation Bills in the House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.-Unless the advocates of the Nicaragua canal bill succeed in securing final action on the Some Length-Novel Street Dresses-The | measure early in the week, it is probable Gowns of Other Days Are Rapidly Com- that either the Paddock pure food bill or the Conger lard bill will be taken up for consideration by the senate and an attempt will be made to dispose of one of them during the week. As these bills have many features in common, it is likely the discussion of one will embrace to a considerable extent a consideration of the other, and the passage of the Paddock bill will in all probability cause the Conger bill to be laid aside. To-day the sundry civil bill, as reported from the senate committee on appropriations, will be called up and the members of the committee hope to dispose of it on Tuesday, although a spirited discussion of the world's fair items may prolong its consideration farther into

Legislative and Indian Appropriation Bill will probably be reported and their consideration may take up the time of the senate until the end of the week. The senate may also devote some of its time this week to clearing up its overcrowded calendar. The Republican leaders of the house expect during the coming week to dispose of the remaining appropriation bills, the conference reports on appropriation bills now in conference, and the subsidy shipping bill. The shipping bill, which has been pending three weeks as unfinished business. will be called up as soon as the appropriation bills are out of the way, and its friends propose to secure final action on it before the end of the week. The reports of the special committees appointed to investigate the charges against Commissioner of Pensions Raum and the civil service commission have been made to the house and may at any time be called up for final action.

THEY WERE WEDDED.

A Louisiana Girl Captures a Wealthy Young Englishman.

DANBURY, Feb. 23.—The Rev. Dr. Hubbard, of the Second Baptist church, was called to the Turner house in this city Saturday to marry a young couple. Miss Molly Cocke, the bride, is from Bayou Teche, La., and has been a guest with her parents at a prominent hotel in New York for several weeks. Among the other guests was Percy Mocotta, an Englishman, who is wealthy and of a good family. The young people met and loved, but her family had a deep-rooted prejudice to the Englishman and put obstacles in the path of the young people. Immediately after the wedding the party returned to New York and are said to be stopping at the Fifth Avenue hotel. They will sail on the Adriatic for England on March 4. The groom is said to be a poet of high New York musical critics praise his ability as a composer. He wrote "Richelieu's March" and dedicated it to Edwin Booth.

Engineer and Operator Arrested.

New York. Feb. 23.—Engineer Lewis Fowler and William McManus, the operator at Seventy-second street, on the New York Central, who are charged with having caused Friday's disaster in the Fourth avenue tunnel, were arraigned before the coroner Saturday and quest Tuesday next.

Quarantined Passengers Landed.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Two hundred of the passengers who arrived on the steam-ship Scotia on Feb. 18, and wer quaran-tined at Hoffman island because smallpox had broken out in the ship, were landed at the barge office yesterday. Seven children who had measles were sent to Riverside hospital.

Publisher John Wiley Dead.

ORANGE, N. J., Feb. 23.-John Wiley one of the best-known and oldest publishers in the United States, died Saturday night from heart diseas. Wiley was the founder of the publishing house of John Wiley & Sons, of New York.

AFTER ILLEGAL HOMES.

About 3,800 Boomers Invade the Cherokee

Strip from Kansas. ARKANSAS CITY, KAN., Feb. 23,-Another premature invasion of the Cherokee strip was begun here Saturday, with every prospect of its continuing unless it is stopped either by executive order or by United States troops. More than 200 families crossed the line, and dispatches have been received from South Haven, Caldwell and Kiowa which state that the invasion seems to be general all along the border. Among those who joined the invasion at this place were a prominent minister and a number of the members of his church. They held services yesterday on the Chacasca river, about fifteen miles southwest of this The troops have been withdrawn from their late camp in the strip. The settlers seem to regard this fact as a mute invitation to walk in and help themselves. It is estimated that about 3,800 persons have entered the strip with the intention of settling.

A NEW FRAUD EXPOSED.

A Caution from Baltimore Against a Bogus Railroad Ticket Agency.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 23.—The Merchants and Manufacturers' association has issued an "important" caution to members "against parties soliciting membership or subscription from wholesale merchants to a scheme known as the United Travelers' Transportation or the Travelers' Protective Union Transportation committee, which had for its pretended object the obtaining of an interchangeable mileage ticket good over all railroads in the United States. A party, once a member of the Travelers' Protective association, an embezzler and an ex-convict, is attempting to operate this scheme in Baltimore. There are multitudes of all kinds of schemes and advertising frauds being constantly presented to the members of

this association. A Pistoi Bart an rough it & Heart. SANDUSKY, O., Feb. 23.-William Hemmelein, aged 72 years, suicided by shooting himself. He went to a secluded spot in the suburbs and put a pistol ball through his heart. Mental de-pression was the cause. The deceased was single.

A SHIP STRIKES A ROCK.

THE CAPTAIN AND SEVENTEEN SAIL-ORS KNOWN TO BE DROWNED.

Details of the Wreck Hard to Obtain-The Wind Was Plowing a Furious Gale from the Southwest and the Ship Drifted at the Mercy of the Waves-Tugs Unable to Get Near the Ship and Left the Vessel to Its Fate-Captain of the Lifeboat Drowned.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., Feb. 23.-The ship Elizabeth, of New York, which whet ashore on the rocks at North Head, Saturday night, while entering the harbor, had twenty-one men on board. The captain, two mates, the cook and seventeen sailors; also, the captain's wife and two children. It is now known that the captain and seventeen sailors were drowned. Details of the wreck are hard to obtain, as the point where the ship went on the rocks is inaccessible by sea, and to reach it by land a climb of several miles over mountains is necessary. The place is called Tennessee cove, and is four miles north of the entrance to the harbor on the Marin county shore. One of the survivors says the vessel sighted port early Saturday afternoon, and Capt. Colcord decided to sail in. The wind was blowing a furious gale from the southwest, and finally the tug Monarch came to the Elizabeth's assistance. The tug Alert made fast to the Elizabeth, but the hawser soon broke, and

The Ship Drifted Before the Wind

toward shore. Just as the second hawser was made fast she struck the rocks. Then Capt. Colcord lowered a boat to take his wife and children off. As the boat struck the water it capsized, throwing three sailors, James Taken, George Hanna and Brant Johnson, into the water. They clung to the bottom of the boat and were picked up by a tug. The captain's family were then lowered in a boat and taken to a tug by the mate and two seamen. The boat returned to the ship and its occupants perished with the rest of the ship's crew. The tugs were unable to get near the ship and late at night returned to port, leaving the vessel to its fate. Early yesterday morning a tug went to the scene of the wreck and found that nothing was left of the Elizabeth. She had gone to pieces during the night. As soon as the wreck was reported the Fort Point life saving crew, commanded by Capt Henry, started in a life boat for the They were being towed by the tug, when Capt. Henry was washed overboard by a big wave and drowned The life boat could not get near the wreck and returned to the station.

RAILROADERS BEING LAID OFF.

The Coke Strike and Furnaces Being Closed Causes a Lack of Work.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 23.—The Erie and Pittsburg railroad and Ashtabula, Youngstown and Pittsburg railroad the monumental success of Hood's Sarhave been laying off a large lot of men recently, on account of the coke strike and furnaces having shut down. Thirtythree engines and crews have been taken off, throwing about 160 men out of employment. A large lot of section hands were let go last week and about 700 dock hands at Ashtabula harbor, and five bundred at the Erie docks have been thrown out of work by no ore being shipped to the Shenango Valley furnaces. The reilroad company has naces. The railroad company has been laying off men in other departments wherever it was found possible to let for sale by Morganthaler & Heister.

INTO A FIERY FURNACE.

A Little Boy Falls Into a Coke Oven and is Almost (remated

McDonald, Pa., Feb. 23.—Saturday afternoon an 8-year-old boy of Mike Herron's, while playing at the coke ovens at Rend's mine here, was instantly killed by falling into an oven which had been fired for twenty hours. He had been riding on the slack wagon, which passes directly over the ovens, and jumping off fell into the open mouth of the oven. A nan standing near saw him fall, and rushing up looked into the oven, but he sunk down unconscious. He was gotten out in ten minutes by breaking open the door of the oven, but not before he was burned so badly as to be past recognition.

FOUND DEAD IN THE BARN.

Peculiar Death of a Young Man who Had

Been Out with a Drunken Crowd. SCOTTDALE, PA., Feb. 23.-A young man named Seivert died suddenly at Confluence under peculiar circumstances. He had drawn his month's salary of \$42 from the B. & O. Railroad company and had gone to the hotel, where he spent a large share of it. He had gotten in with a drunken gang and was spending his earnings quite lavishly, when his brother persuaded him to return home. He was put in the stable that night and in the morning was dead. The causes of his death are unknown.

Hoy Goes to the St. Louis Browns.

FINDLAY, Feb. 23.—Secretary George Munson, of the St. Louis Browns, arrived from Philadelphia Saturday evening and signed William E. Hoy, the great mute baseball player, to play center field for the Browns next season Hoy's release was purchased from the Athletics. Munson says the association is out for blood, and they propose to draw it from Spaulding and the league

Hygiene Knocked Out Again. BEDFORD, PA., Feb. 23.—Thomas Oliver died at Rainsburg Saturday at the age of 104 years. He was by far the oldest citizen in this section of the state, and used both liquor and tobacco until the day he died. He was considered a powerful man in his day. He leaves a wife who is in her eightieth

Schooner Given Up for Lost. NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The schooner James N. Gordon, which sailed from Bridgeton, N. J., on Jan. 13 for Jacksonville, Fla., has been given up for lost, and it is feared her crew of nine

men have perished. Glad News to the Unemployed. ABHLAND, PA., Feb. 23.—Six hundred idle men and boys will be given employment to-day by the resumption of work at the Reading company's Alaska colliery, which suspended several weeks LATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Dispatches received at Calcutta from Rangoon state that fifty insurgents have been killed in a fight which took place on the frontier of Wuntho. The state senate of California has passed a

bill appropriating \$300,000 for California's ex-hibit at the world's fair. The bili has already passed the house.

The state senate of Texas has passed the house bill appropriating \$15,000 for building and \$40,000 for two years' maintenance of the Confederate home at Austin, and adopting the home as a state institution Only eleven more days of the present ses-

only eleven more days of the present session of the Kansas legislature remain, and none of the appropriation bills have been pa-sed, and only three bills of any character have reached the governor. An extra session will doubtless be called.

The transfer of the affairs of the New York state insurance department was completed Saturday, when Superintendent Pierce gave the retiring superintendent, Mr. Maxwell, a receipt for the \$16,000,000 of securities on de posit in the department.

One of the Great Eastern Railway com-pany's channel mail steamers came into colpany's channel man steamers came into con-lision Saturda; with the steamship Queen of the North Sea. The latter sank soon after the collision. The crew of the Queen of the North Sea were drowned. Matt Allen has brought suit against Sena-

tor Hearst to recover \$9,595, which he alleges is due him. Matt Allen was in charge of the Hearst stable until last July. He has secured an attachment against the senator's property. Mr. Allen says that the senator owes him \$6,045 as a balance of salary, and the remainder for damages and his share of the net earnings of the stable. He says that Senator Hearst's earnings last season were \$21,400, of which he claims to be entitled to 10 per cent.

Good Looks.

Good looks are more than skin deep, depending upon a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver be in-active, you have a bilious look, if your stomach be disordered you have a dyspeptic look, and if your kidneys be affected you have a pincned look. Secure good health and you will have good looks. Electric Bitters is the great alterative and Tonic acts directly on these vital organs. Cures pimples, boils. blotches and gives a good complexion, Sold at Z. T. Baltzly's drug store, 50c per

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This is what N. H. Andrews, a prominent citizen of Springfield, O., says: "It affords me great pleasure to assure my friends that I have received both imme diate and permanent relief of throat, bronchial and asthmatic trouble in the use of Dr. Acker's English Remedy. It is certainly a good honest medicine and a blessing to humanity." The above preparation we sell on a positive guarantee; it has given better satisfaction than any other remedy we have ever sold. J. M. Schuckers, and E. S. Craig druggist, Massillon, O.

When I begun using Ely's Cream Balm my catarrrh was so bad I had headache the whole time and discharged a large amount of filthy matter. That has almost entirely disappeared and I have not had headache since.—J. H. Somers, Stephney, Conn.

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A Good Record .- "I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for ten years," says druggist E. B. Legg, of Vail, Ia. 'and have always warranted it and never had a bottle returned. During the past 90 days I have sold twelve dozen and it has given perfect satisfaction in every instance." It does not dry up a cough, but loosens and relieves it. It will cure a severe cold in less time than other treatment. 50 cent and \$1 bottles

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A gentleman in Union county, Mo., who is too modest a man to have his name mentioned in the newspapers, was cured of rheumatism by Chamberlain's Pain Balm, after trying other medfcines and treatments for thirteen years. 50 cent bottles for sale by Morganthaler &

Having accepted the agency of the Kern County Land Company at Bakers field, Kern county, Cal., I will take pleasure in showing samples of dried fruits, which I have just received. Also give information to any one desiring to locate in that part of California. I have a large supply of reading matter regarding climate, and the fruit industry of Kern county. I have also received very flattering letters from parties living there who are well known in Massillon, giving a glowing account of the country, etc. For price of land and terms, call on me at depot. E. P. EDGAR.

The senior proprietor of this paper has been subject to frequent colds for some years, which were sure to lay him up if not doctored at once. He finds that Chambelain's Cough remedy is reliable. It opens the secretions, relieves the lungs and restores the system to a. healthy condition. If freely used as soon as the cold is contracted, and before it has become settled in the system, it greatly lessens the attack and often cures in a single day what would otherwise have been a severe cold.—North-western Hotel Reporter, Pes Moines, Ia 50 cent bottles for sale by Morganthaler & Heister.

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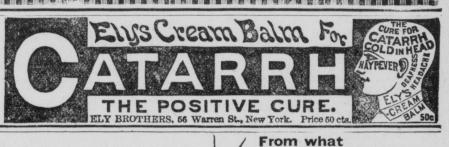
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